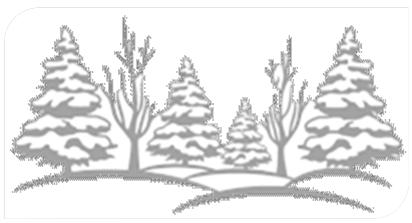
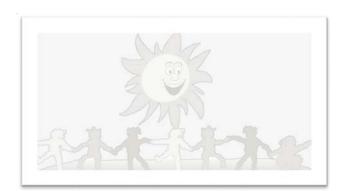
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WINTERSET SKI CLUB

www.wintersetskiclub.org

^{*}Meets every second Tuesday of every month at Town Hall South at 6:00pm.

Daddy & Daughter Valentine Ball

Friday, February 2, 2018

7:00 PM - 9:30 PM Newtown High School Café Semi Formal Event \$20 per daddy/daughter couple

Sign up online: Activity# 214103A www.parks.newtown-CT.gov

Daughters/Granddaughters, (aged 8-12 years old), are invited to join Newtown Parks and Recreation at the first annual, Valentine's Day Ball, accompanied by their significant male role model.

(Snow Date 2/9/18).

Winter Bration!

Friday, February 16 2018 An event for the whole family!

Come celebrate winter with us! An enjoyable evening for the entire family. Join Newtown Parks and Recreation for a fun time with games a DJ, and a bonfire for all to warm up by!

Please pre-register online:

www.newtown-ct.gov

*Ice for ice skating is not guaranteed, due to the weather, but there will be plenty of avitivites.

ACTIVITY:

6:00 - 8:30 pm 214101 A **AGE:** All Ages LOCATION:

Dickinson Memorial Town Park, 50 Elm Drive

Special Events









Flashlight Egghunt - 14th Annual

Friday, March 23rd

14th Annual Flashlight Egg Hunt-

One is never too old to enjoy a Spring Egg Hunt, come join the fun!!! All participants must bring their own flashlights; meet at the Dickinson Park Pavilion. Please register on line.

Rain Date: March 24th - 8pm

FREE EVENT

214601 A 8:00PM

AGE: 9 and up **LOCATION:**

Dickinson Memorial Town Park, 50 Elm Drive

Other Upcoming Events: Egg Hunt

Community Prom May 4th 2018

(all ages invited to enjoy dinner and dancing)

Strutt Your Mutt May 12th 2018

(an event for your four legged friends)

Garden Party May 20th 2018

(Bringing awareness to the Victory Garden)

Rooster Run June 23rd 2018

(Benefits the Camp Scholarship Fund)

Mad Dash June 30th 2018

Saturday, March 24th

Join the Parks & Recreation Department for their Annual Spring Egg Hunt. There will be a special appearance by the Spring Bunny and DJ Austin Dailey. Children should bring a bag to hold their eggs. There will be prize eggs throughout the hunt. (Toys are not appropriate for children

Please meet at the Dickinson Park Pavilion.

Please arrive by 10:00am!

FREE EVENT

214501 A - 10:00 - 11:15 gm **AGES: 3 - 8.99**

LOCATION:

Dickinson Memorial Town Park, 50 Elm Drive

Aquatics

Masters Swimming

Join the Newtown Rooster Fish! Their Masters Swimming program is designed for anyone ages 18+, who would like to start or continue swimming as a form of fitness or training. This course will be open to all levels and practice groups will be based on skill. Stroke instruction and refinement will also be addressed. Even if it's been years, come be a part of a fun swimming community. Triathletes welcome!

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$135

210402 A Mondays/Wednesdays, January 8 to April 4 (No class January 15, February 19)

7:30 - 8:30 pm AGE: 18 and up

LOCATION: Newtown High School, 12 Berkshire Road

INSTRUCTOR: Thomas Horan



The Newtown High School Pool Open Swim Schedule

Resident Fees:

Family \$ 75.00 Single \$ 30.00 Senior FREE 5 Pass \$ 15.00

Non Resident Fees:

Family \$ 150.00 Single \$ 60.00 Senior \$ 30.00



Notice:

Please DO NOT LINGER in the locker rooms, you must exit the school promptly.

For morning open swim you must be out of the

school by 7:00am sharp.

No Open Swim on the following dates:

12/2, 12/23-1/1,1/13, 1/15, 1/18, 1/20, 2/2, 2/19, 2/20, 3/30, 4/16-4/20

Sign up For Alerts:

Please sign up for our e-blast for updated notices regarding pool usage www.newtown-ct.gov click on "Subscribe to E-Alerts" and check "Recreation Urgent Alerts"

October 2nd to May 24th, 2018

MONDAYS

7:30 - 9:15 PM OPEN SWIM

TUESDAYS

6:00 – 7:00 AM OPEN LAP SWIM

WEDNESDAYS

7:30 – 9:15 PM OPEN LAP SWIM

THURSDAYS

6:00 - 7:00 AM OPEN LAP SWIM

SATURDAY

1:00 – 5:00 PM OPEN SWIM

Important Message:

Due to inclement weather, holidays, rescheduled events or school functions out of Parks and Recreation's control, Open Swim can be canceled with little notice. Open swim is closed during school vacations, holidays and bad weather. When school is delayed due to inclement weather, morning swim will be canceled.

JumpBunch



JumpBunch for Toddlers

JumpBunch is committed to providing a non-competitive and fun learning environment - our coaches give constant praise and encouragement to build self-esteem and make sure that each child is proud of his/her accomplishments, no matter how big or small! We introduce a variety of exciting sports and fitness activities each week, including Basketball, Bowling, Yoga, Volleyball, Hockey, Winter Wonderland Parachute and much more! With over 70 different sport activities and a professionally developed curriculum, your child will never get bored! Each 45 minute class is set to music and introduces simple stretches, cardio, bubble play, and the weekly sport activity! The JumpBunch Toddler Program guides children through eye/hand coordination, gross and fine motor skills, overall coordination, and body balance. JumpBunch Toddlers have an opportunity to see, touch, and experience each sport with our age appropriate equipment, while also learning concepts like spatial awareness, teamwork, and listening skills.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$75

208803 A Fridays, January 19 to February 16

10:05 - 10:50 am **AGE**: 2 - 3.99 **208803 B** Fridays, March 2 to April 6

(No class March 30)

10:05 - 10:50 am **AGE:** 2 - 3.99

LOCATION: Teen Center, 53 A Church Hill Road

INSTRUCTOR: Debbie Ungvary





JumpBunch Caregiver & Me

Our Caregiver and Me class is an introductory class for our youngest students ages 18 month to 2.5 years and their caregivers. We begin with a warm up song followed by our sport/activity of the week where Parent/Caregiver and Baby play together, under the direction of a trained JumpBunch coach, to increase motor skills, coordination, balance and self-esteem! We close with parachute play, bubbles and our goodbye song and stamps! Coach: Debbi Ungvary

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$55

208802 A Fridays, January 19 to February 16

9:30 - 10:00 am **AGE**: 1.5 - 2.5 **208802 B** Fridays, March 2 to April 6

(No class March 30)

9:30 - 10:00 am **AGE:** 1.5 - 2.5

LOCATION: Teen Center, 53 A Church Hill Road

INSTRUCTOR: Debbie Ungvary

JumpBunch Pre School

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ACTIVITY: FEE: \$75

208804 A Fridays, January 19 to February 16

11:00 - 11:45 am **AGE:** 3 - 5.99 **208804 B** Fridays, March 2 to April 6

(No class March 30)

11:00 - 11:45 am **AGE:** 3 - 5.99

LOCATION: Teen Center, 53 A Church Hill Road

INSTRUCTOR: Debbie Ungvary



Airplane Captains with Hobby Quest

(ALL NEW CURRICULUM)

Get into the cockpit and fly this fall with Hobby Quest's Airplane Captains! This year we are back with ALL NEW high-flying models! The Batman is a super-high flying rubber-band powered helicopter that will shoot for the stars! And it's a bird ... It's a plane ... It's the Air Show! The Air Show place is designed for an amazing take-off! When you're ready to fly as far as a football field, we'll build the electric Seagull, a battery-powered plane that will fly incredibly far and long! Of course that's just the beginning, this fall will be jampacked with tons of learning, building and flying fun! Have a seat and prepare for take-off, make Airplanes Captains your next adventure! Build It! Fly it! Keep it!

Instructor: Hobby Quest

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$118

219501 A Mondays, January 22 to March 5

(No class February 19)

3:45 - 4:45 pm **AGE**: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION:

Head O' Meadow School, 94 Boggs Hill Road

219501 B Mondays, January 22 to March 5 (No class February 19)

3:45 - 4:45 pm AGE: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION: Middle Gate School, 7 Cold Spring Road

219501 C Tuesdays, January 23 to March 6 (No class February 20)

3:45 - 4:45 pm AGE: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION: Hawley, 29 Church Hill Road

219501 D Wednesdays, January 24 to February 28

4:00 - 5:00 pm AGE: 9 - 13.99

LOCATION: Reed Intermediate School, 3 Trades Lane

219501 E Thursdays, January 25 to March 1

3:45 - 4:45 pm AGE: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION: Sandy Hook School, 12 Dickinson Drive



Magic | Aviation | Spark

SPARK



The Spark Afterschool program is an initiative provided by "The Avielle Foundation," as part of a multi-tier approach "to develop social-emotional

learning (SEL), leadership, and compassion skills on a community-wide basis and beyond."

We offer culturally diverse classes, recreational and fitness classes, while also teaching leadership skills, acceptance, compassion and self-confidence. This program is staffed by local professionals, high school and adult volunteers including: Curtis Urbina, Paula Brinkman, Suzy Deyoung, Cody Foss, etc.

3:45pm-5:30pm -

5:00pm-5:30pm - Homework Club (optional)

For more information: www.aviellefoundation.org

For Scholarships please contact:

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ACTIVITY: 225001 A

Mondays/Wednesdays, January 22 to February 28 (No class February 19)

FEE: \$120

3:45 - 5:30 pm AGE: 9 - 12.99

LOCATION: Reed Intermediate School, 3 Trades Lane

Magic with Hobby Quest



If illusions and mysterious feats are your favorite way to impress people, we have all new tricks to teach you in Magic Illusions! Reading your audience's minds will be a piece of cake after you learn our Dice Prediction and Spirit Plate Tricks! You'll discover the

Chameleon Chip and dazzle your friends and family by changing chip colors right in front of their eyes! Some tricks will amaze even the most seasoned magicians, like when you turn one die into a bunch of smaller dice with the Exploding Dice! If that isn't enough, we'll make sure your parents get a chance to see just how fascinating your performance is by inviting them in for a real magic show at the end of the semester! So if you're ready to learn how to do some REAL magic, sign up for Magic Illusions today!

Instructor: Hobby Quest

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$118

217503 A Wednesdays, January 24 to February 28

4:45 - 5:45 pm AGE: 5 - 10.99

LOCATION: Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street

Science | Minecraft | Lego's

Modding in Minecraft

Are you interested in checking out modpacks that let you ride an ender dragon or a creeper pig? Or get a NASA workbench to build a rocket and blast off to the moon and plant your own flag on the surface? The possibilities are endless with different modpacks.

*Each station has 2 children per laptop

INSTRUCTOR: Computertots/Compu

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$119
217506 A Tuesdays, March 6 to April 10
(No class March 13)

3:45 - 5:00 pm AGE: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION: Sandy Hook School, 12 Dickinson Drive

217506 B Tuesdays, March 6 to April 10 (No class March 13)

3:45 - 5:00 pm AGE: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION: Middle Gate School, 7 Cold Spring Road

217506 C Wednesdays, March 7 to April 18 (No class March 14, April 4)

3:45 - 5:00 pm **AGE**: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION:

Head O' Meadow School, 94 Boggs Hill Road

217506 D Mondays, March 5 to April 2 (No class March 13)

3:45 - 5:00 pm AGE: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION: Hawley, 29 Church Hill Road

Lego Robotics

Lego Robotics provides wonderful hands-on opportunities for the students to experiment and learn about the fundamentals of robotics, construction and computer programming. We will be using Lego bricks to build around a micro-computer and using computer software to bring the robot to life Each station with 1 laptop and 1 Lego kit, has no more than 3 students.

INSTRUCTOR: Computertots/Compu

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$119

217504 A Tuesdays, January 16 to February 13

3:45 - 5:00 pm AGE: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION: Sandy Hook School, 12 Dickinson Drive

217504 B Tuesdays, January 16 to February 13

3:45 - 5:00 pm **AGE**: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION: Middle Gate School, 7 Cold Spring Road

217504 C Wednesdays, January 17 to February 14

3:45 - 5:00 pm **AGE**: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION:

Head O' Meadow School, 94 Boggs Hill Road

217504 D Mondays, January 22 to February 26 (No class February 19)

3:45 - 5:00 pm AGE: 6 - 10.99

LOCATION: Hawley, 29 Church Hill Road



Molecular Motion Mysteries with Mad Science

Let's talk about tele-communications! Students link to a network and work with radio signals. Children wing through a cell tower relay and track cell phone users. See how simple machines lighten your load! Launch with levers, secure with screws, and work with wedges. Explore the energy of motion (potential versus kinetic energy), and how energy can be conserved. Model the moving plates of the Earth that cause bends and breaks. Simulate the effects of an ocean oil spill, and develop creative techniques to clean it up! Explore the energy of motion (potential versus kinetic energy) while constructing a catapult.

Instructor: Mad Science



MAD SCIENCE after school

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$119

219502 A Mondays, January 22 to February 26

(No class February 19)

3:45 - 4:45 pm **AGE:** 5 - 10.99

LOCATION: Sandy Hook School, 12 Dickinson Drive

219502 B Tuesdays, January 23 to February 27 (No class February 20)

3:45 - 4:45 pm **AGE:** 5 - 10.99

LOCATION:

Head O' Meadow School, 94 Boggs Hill Road

219502 C Wednesdays, January 24 to February 21

3:45 - 4:45 pm AGE: 5 - 10.99

LOCATION: Hawley, 29 Church Hill Road

219502 D Thursdays, January 25 to February 22

3:45 - 4:45 pm **AGE:** 5 - 10.99

LOCATION: Middle Gate School, 7 Cold Spring Road

Yoga | Salsa | Barre | Children's Dance

Elementary Dance Program

A 60 minute entry level combination class of Ballet, Tap, Jazz for children ages 5 to 10. Each class is taught using developmentally and age appropriate skills, props and educational concepts to help keep classes fun! Class meets once per week. Suggested attire: Pink leotards, pink tights, pink ballet shoes and black tap shoes. Note: All tap shoes must have elastic close or Velcro. Ribbons ties are unacceptable! The Dance Recital will be Friday May 11th and Saturday, May 12th at Reed Intermediate. Please note there are additional costume and performance fees associated with participating in the recital if you choose to do so.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$214

204501 A Mondays, January 8 to May 7
(No class January 15, February 19, April 16)

4:45 - 5:45 pm AGE: 5 - 10.99

LOCATION: Teen Center, 53 A Church Hill Road

INSTRUCTOR: Fit to Be



Salsa Level I with Deb Linley

Salsa is a fun and exciting Latin dance that anyone can learn! Dance away stress, have fun and meet new people as we get you dancing in no time! In this 4 week beginner class, we will cover partner work and basic Salsa patterns with emphasis placed on lead and follow. All new dance steps taught will be repeated and reinforced allowing you to hit the dance floor with comfort and ease. Attend either session or both! Couples or singles welcome.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$60
204200 A Mondays, February 5 to February 26

7:00 - 8:00 pm **AGE**: 18 and up

204200 B Mondays, March 5 to March 26

7:00 - 8:00 pm **AGE**: 18 and up

LOCATION: Vitti's Dance Studio, 10 Precision Road **INSTRUCTOR:** Vitti's Dance Studio, Deborah Linley



YOGA for Youths with Special Needs

Yoga inspired learning stretches the mind and body opening up a world of individual expression and sharing. Come explore yoga poses set to calming music, breathing exercises, and a deep relaxing yoga nap with guided stories and meditations. Yoga is meant to be taken off the mat and rewards each yogi with a strong body, calm mind, and peaceful heart. Yoga leads the way in immersing kids of all abilities in a group setting sparking confidence, creativity and joy. The classes are limited to 5 students to enhance the overall experience. Join the fun and learning with Lauren Elliott, a certified yoga teacher for children with special needs.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$175

218601 A Wednesdays, February 7 to April 11

3:15 - 4:15 pm **AGE**: 12 - 16.99

LOCATION: Newtown High School, 12 Berkshire Road

INSTRUCTOR: Lauren Elliott



Total Barre Class

Total Barre is a high-energy and dynamic workout that integrates elements of Pilates, dance, cardio & strength training. Combining traditional Ballet Barre work with other disciplines to challenge your entire body and improve strength, balance, flexibility and endurance. All levels are welcome!

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$77

208403 A Tuesdays, January 9 to February 13

5:30 - 6:20 pm **AGE:** 18 and up

LOCATION:

Balanced Pilates & Barre Studio, 125 South Main Street INSTRUCTOR: Alyssa O'Donovan



Organization | Babysitter Safety | Culinary

Babysitter Safety 101

This course is for youths age 10 to 15 years of age. This is an entry level course intended to teach age appropriate skills necessary to care for children of all ages using team babysitting, mother's helper and individual babysitting concepts. The course focuses on safety with emphasis on prevention. Basic first aid and obstructed airway management for a conscious choking adult/child and infant will be covered. Other topics include hand washing, diapering, bottle feeding, personal safety, interview skills and many more topics. The full course is 4 hours, split into two sessions. Please bring a snack. CD book, handouts and Babysitter Safety Certificate of completion included.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$85

221601 A Mondays, March 12 and March 19

4:30 - 6:30 pm **AGE:** 10 - 15.99

LOCATION: Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street

INSTRUCTOR: Life Safe Services



Babysitter Safety 102

This course is for youth's 12-16+ years of age with a sincere interest in advanced concepts and skills of First Aid including CPR certification. Building on the entry level skills from Babysitter 101, objectives for this scenario based, expanded course includes additional First Aid concept, Adult/Child and Infant CPR. Required written testing to receive 2 year certification. Student receives book, handouts and Rescue Shield breathing barrier device.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$85

221602 A Saturday, March 10 1:00 - 4:00 pm **AGE:** 12 - 16.99

LOCATION: Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street







Culinary Kids

The Newtown High Culinary Arts program will be running the 2nd annual Kids Culinary Class, a hands-on cooking class for young people. The class offers an opportunity for kids to learn practical baking and cooking techniques using Michael Ruhlman's Twenty, A Cooks Manifesto as a guide to the fundamental techniques and ingredients all cooks need and use. Knife skills and good sanitation practices will be emphasized.

(Printed recipes and an apron will be provided; aprons are provided to new attendees only)

LOCATION:

Newtown Culinary Center, Newtown High School

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$145

202601 A Wednesdays, January 3 to January 24

4:30 - 6:30 pm **AGE:** 8 - 13.5

202601 B Wednesdays, February 7 to February 28

4:30 - 6:30 pm **AGE:** 8 - 13.5

202601 C Wednesdays, March 7 to April 4

(No class March 14)

4:30 - 6:30 pm **AGE:** 8 - 13.5

INSTRUCTOR:

Newtown High School Culinary Chefs, Lori Hoagland & Brian Neumeyer

Got Clutter? Eliminate the OverWhelm

Newtown professional organizer, Sue Duval will give you the tools and tips you need to eliminate clutter, restore order and get organized! Learn practical strategies for dealing with common clutter challenges and leave with the motivation and know-how to tackle the most cluttered closet, playroom, pantry, garage, etc. Simplify your spaces and make room, and time for what matters the most!

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$30

217201 A Thursday, January 25 6:00 - 8:00 pm **AGE:** 18 and up

LOCATION: Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street

INSTRUCTOR: The Organized Hive, Sue Duval

Knitting

Kids, Tweens & Teens Knit & Chat

Learn to knit! This is a class for kids and teens who would like to learn the skill and hobby of knitting! No experience necessary. This is an eight-week class where you learn all the basics and finish a cute, fashionable knitted project! Experienced teacher will get you knitting in no time, in a fun, non-frustrating, and creative way. Learn casting on, knitting, purling, fringe and more. Crochet basics will also be taught. All materials including yarn and needles will be provided.

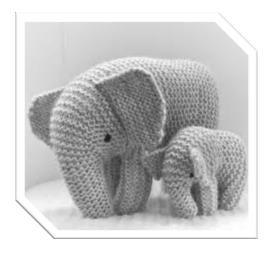
ACTIVITY: FEE: \$145

217101 A Wednesdays, January 10 to February 28

5:30 - 6:30 pm **AGE:** 7 and up

LOCATION:

Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Stree
INSTRUCTOR: Nicole Christensen



Adult Beginner Knitting Circle

Make time for yourself and learn to knit! If you've always wanted to knit, but didn't know where to start, or need to brush up on the basics, this course is for you! Learn to cast on, knit, purl and more, creating a fashionable project to start! Knitting is a great hobby, that can be transported with you. Knit at sports events, waiting rooms, etc. using snippets of time! Learn about different fibers, try out different types and sizes of needles, and more! Crochet basics will also be taught. *Students need to bring in a skein of bulky-weight yarn of their choice (such as Lion Wool-Ease Thick N Quick), and US size 11, 13, or 15 knitting needles to start.

INSTRUCTOR: Nicole Christensen

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$129

217103 A Wednesdays, January 10 to February 28

11:00 am - 12:00 pm AGE: 18 and up LOCATION: Teen Center, 53 A Church Hill Road

217103 B Wednesdays, January 10 to February 28

6:45 - 7:45 pm **AGE:** 18 and up

LOCATION:

Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street



Steppin' Up Knitting

For the knitter who has mastered the beginner class or can cast on and do garter stitch independently. If you're ready to take your knitting to the next level, this class is for you! We'll learn to read and follow a pattern, check a gauge, try different types of needles (including circular) and more! We will knit some cute projects, starting with an "oh so cute!" hat! To start, students need to bring in size 10 US straight (long length) needles, and 150 yards of worsted weight yarn of their choice.

INSTRUCTOR: Nicole Christensen

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$129

217102 A Thursdays, January 11 to March 1

5:30 - 6:30 pm **AGE:** 7 and up

LOCATION:

Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street

Adult Intermediate Knitting Circle

For those who can cast on and knit garter stitch, and are ready to build more skills (or have completed the beginner course). Several projects will be created starting with an "oh so cute" hat that can be made in sizes from children to adults, as well as a seamless project "knitting in the round" on circular needles. In this comprehensive, step-by-step, fun class, you'll learn to read patterns, check gauge, master more difficult stitches (including cables) and more! Students need to bring in size 10 (longer length preferred) straight needles and one skein (150 yards) of worsted weight yarn of their choice to start. Other materials needed discussed in class. Open to students from advanced beginner to advanced, students may also bring independent projects for help and instruction.

INSTRUCTOR: Nicole Christensen

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$129

217104 A Thursdays, January 11 to March 1 6:45 - 7:45 pm **AGE:** 18 and up

LOCATION:

Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street

217104 B Wednesdays, January 10 to February 28

12:15 - 1:15 pm **AGE:** 18 and up

LOCATION:

Teen Center, 53 A Church Hill Road

Dress a Doll

Three weeks of fun this winter! We will create outfits and accessories for all kinds of dolls or stuffed animals. All supplies are provided. Please bring a doll to each class. No Sewing Required. All supplies are provided.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$80

201504 A Saturdays, January 20 to February 3 11:00 am - 12:00 pm **AGE:** 6 - 11.99

LOCATION: Hawley, 29 Church Hill Road INSTRUCTOR: Paula Brinkman





Time to Get Frozen

Come join former Disney artist, Kristine Humber for an exciting art class this winter! We will draw snowmen and reindeer, mountains and castles, snowy trees and sparkly ice droplets, to name a few. We will use a variety of art mediums to create these exciting winter scenes and characters. The ultimate goal will be to create a final art piece with a foreground, middle ground and background element in a fabulous, frosty environment along with fun characters. So bring your smock and your imaginations for a great time! All art instruction and supplies are included.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$125

201505 A Tuesdays, January 16 to February 20

4:45 - 5:45 pm **AGE:** 7 - 12.99

LOCATION: Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street

INSTRUCTOR: Kristine Humber

Clay | Sculpture | Drawing Dress a Doll

Clays the Way!

Come play and learn about the properties of clay. We will be exploring a range of possibilities including the different techniques and methods used to hand build. Working with form, space, volume, texture, design and balance we will be developing our critical eye that helps us make informed choices. We learn to think like sculptors through deductive reasoning. We learn to look at form originally emerging from the material. Clay feels good! The experience of clay allows us to explore our sense of touch, sight, sound, and smell. In an era of digital technology, it is primary to come back to being directly connected to our hands in the molding process.

*Please bring your own smock

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$160

201501 A Tuesdays, January 9 to February 13

5:00 - 6:00 pm **AGE:** 7 - 10.99

INSTRUCTOR: Leslie Gunn

LOCATION:

Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street



Sculpture: Working in 3D

Have fun learning to explore and investigate the art of sculpture using the Design Elements (Line, Shape, Form, Color, Texture, Pattern and Space), and design principles (balance, movement, contrast and emphasis). By using a variety of media such as cardboard, wire and more, we will engage directly with the hands on approach of the creative process solving problems and discovering possibilities, outcomes and surprises. Experimenting creates a focus and develops persistence through a trial and error process. We don't give up until we find a way that works! In a supportive setting, children will develop the confidence to take risks, and will value their own ideas and solutions as well as those of their peers. Remember learning to create is learning to see! There are no mistakes, only discoveries!

*please bring your own smock

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$160

201502 A Thursdays, January 4 to February 8

5:00 - 6:00 pm **AGE:** 7 - 10.99

INSTRUCTOR: Leslie Gunn

LOCATION: Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street

Drawing Mixed Media

Join Paint, Draw & More! Paint, Draw & More! Paint, Draw & More! offers fun classes that allow your child to express their creativity, while we teach them technical skills that help them blossom and build self-esteem through their



artistic accomplishments. Our classes are fun, engaging and each project is developed with your child in mind. We teach young artists how to build an image vocabulary, and develop problem-solving skills through the medium of art. Whether your child continues in the arts, or chooses another path, this creative development will enhance their intellectual growth and understanding of math, history and the sciences. Drawing fundamentals like shape, contour, design, color and medium are progressively used every week so your child can create new and varied works of art they can be proud of and excited to share.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$127 201601 A Wednesdays, January 17 to February 21 4:30 - 5:30 pm **AGE:** 5 - 8.99 201601 B Wednesdays, January 17 to February 21 **AGE:** 9 - 13.99 5:30 - 6:30 pm 201601 C Wednesdays, March 7 to April 11 **AGE:** 5 - 8.99 4:30 - 5:30 pm 201601 D Wednesdays, March 7 to April 11 5:30 - 6:30 pm **AGE:** 9 - 13.99

LOCATION: Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street

INSTRUCTOR: Susan Jackson

Advanced Drawing Mixed Media

Paint, Draw & More is proud to have perfected the art of igniting children's creative instincts. Our fun and informative drawing classes for older children and teens are specifically designed to build on your child's knowledge of drawing, and to teach them technical skills as they develop their unique style. This advanced drawing class will provide a variety of drawing mediums, or children can choose to bring their own. We encourage students to work in black and white, or color; whichever best achieves their vision. Students are asked to bring a sketchbook to class, but it is not mandatory.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$127 201602 A Wednesdays, January 17 to February 21 4:30 - 5:30 pm **AGE:** 5 - 8.99 201602 B Wednesdays, January 17 to February 21 5:30 - 6:30 pm **AGE:** 9 - 13.99 201602 C Wednesdays, March 7 to April 11 4:30 - 5:30 pm **AGE:** 5 - 8.99 201602 D Wednesdays, March 7 to April 11 5:30 - 6:30 pm **AGE:** 9 - 13.99 LOCATION: Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street

INSTRUCTOR: Susan Jackson



Guitar Lessons

Guitar lessons for beginner, intermediate and advanced players. This class is customized to fit your needs. All styles of music are considered! Join Joe Procaccini for an hour Tuesday nights!

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$195

207107 A Tuesdays, January 16 to February 27

(No class February 20)

7:00 - 8:00 pm **AGE:** 9 - 14.99

LOCATION: Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street

INSTRUCTOR: Joseph Procaccini



Aikido | Karate

Aikido

Aikido will meet on Monday evenings from 7:15-8:30 and Saturday mornings from 9:15-10:30. We will have a somewhat flexible schedule due to travel. This is a mixed class of children and adults. Aikido is a gentle martial art that can be experienced and enjoyed by the whole family. The grace and power of Aikido comes from using the attackers force to throw him/her with minimal effort. The Aikido principles of balance, blending and non-resistance teach students to seek creative alternatives to conflict, both physical and verbal. By training in a supportive, non-competitive atmosphere, students will learn and experience: useful physical skills such as rolling and falling safely; creative conflict resolution, body awareness and practical self-defense skills; enhanced coordination of mind and body; improved balance and coordination; increased self-confidence and self-discipline while having fun along the way. In a world increasingly filled with stress and conflict, the lessons of Aikido are useful tools for both children and adults. We are associated with Berkshire Hills Aikido in Great Barrington, MA. Adults and children 8 years and older are invited to experience this special art form. For more information please call (203)-364-1380.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$125

Mondays/Saturdays, January 8 to March 26 213101 A

7:15 - 8:30 pm AGE: 8 and up

LOCATION: Teen Center, 53 A Church Hill Road

INSTRUCTOR: William Toomey





Karate Tang Soo Do — (adults)

Karate Tang Soo Do is a non-contact ancient martial art based on the ancient oriental method to help coordination, control and balance. Emphasis in life values of: respect, honor, discipline and loyalty. Course includes practical hands on self-defense as well. As you participate, you will build selfesteem and confidence. Uniform can be purchased at Porco's.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$125 213202 A Mondays, January 8 to January 29 8:00 - 8:45 pm AGE: 13 and up 213202 B Mondays, February 5 to February 26 8:00 - 8:45 pm AGE: 13 and up 213202 C Mondays, March 5 to March 26 8:00 - 8:45 pm

AGE: 13 and up

LOCATION:

Porco's Karate Academy, 113 Church Hill Road **INSTRUCTOR:** Porco's Karate Academy

Little Dragons Karate

Karate Tang Soo do is a non-contact ancient martial art based on principles that build: responsibility, discipline, listening, respect and courtesy to all. Uniform can be purchased.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$125 213502 A Saturdays, January 6 to January 27 9:15 - 9:45 am **AGE:** 4 - 6.99 213502 B Saturdays, February 3 to February 24 9:15 - 9:45 am **AGE:** 4 - 6.99 213502 C Saturdays, March 3 to March 24 9:15 - 9:45 am **AGE:** 4 - 6.99 213502 D Tuesdays, January 9 to January 30 5:15 - 5:45 pm **AGE:** 4 - 6.99

213502 E Tuesdays, February 6 to February 27 5:15 - 5:45 pm **AGE:** 4 - 6.99

213502 F Tuesdays, March 6 to March 27

5:15 - 5:45 pm **AGE:** 4 - 6.99 LOCATION:

Porco's Karate Academy, 113 Church Hill Road

INSTRUCTOR: Porco's Karate Academy

Youth Karate

Karate Tang Soo Do is a non-contact ancient martial art based on principles that build: responsibility, discipline, listening, respect and courtesy to all. Uniform can be purchased at Porco's Karate Academy.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$125

213603 A Saturdays, January 6 to January 27

10:00 - 10:45 am **AGE:** 7 - 12.99

213603 B Saturdays, February 3 to February 24

10:00 - 10:45 am **AGE:** 7 - 12.99

213603 C Saturdays, March 3 to March 24

10:00 - 10:45 am **AGE:** 7 - 12.99

213603 D Tuesdays, January 9 to January 30

6:00 - 6:45 pm AGE: 7 - 12.99

213603 E Tuesdays, February 6 to February 27

6:00 - 6:45 pm **AGE:** 7 - 12.99 213603 F Tuesdays, March 6 to March 27

6:00 - 6:45 pm **AGE:** 7 - 12.99

LOCATION:

Porco's Karate Academy, 113 Church Hill Road

INSTRUCTOR: Porco's Karate Academy

Self Defense & Anti Bullying

This class is perfect for boys, girls and adults, and is very useful for high school/college aged students. We focus on self-defense, anti-bullying and self-confidence development. Course includes practical self-defense using simple methods to ward off an attacker and is taught by Certified Black belt instructors.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$115

213201 A Mondays, January 8 to January 22

6:00 - 6:45 pm AGE: 13 and up

213201 B Mondays, January 29 to February 12

6:00 - 6:45 pm AGE: 13 and up

LOCATION:

Porco's Karate Academy, 113 Church Hill Road

INSTRUCTOR: Porco's Karate Academy

Tennis Programs

LOCATION:

Newtown Youth Academy, 4 Primrose Street **INSTRUCTOR:** Fairfield County Tennis

Beginner Juniors:

209111 A Sundays, February 25 to May 6 (No class April 15)

1:00 - 2:00 pm **AGE:** 9 - 12.99 **FEE:** \$350

Advanced Beginner Juniors:

209111B Sundays, February 25 to May 6

AGE: 6 - 8.99 2:00 - 3:00 pm **FEE:** \$290

Advanced Beginner Juniors:

209111 C Sundays, February 25 to May 6 3:00 - 4:00 pm **AGE:** 9 - 12.99 **FEE:** \$350

Low Intermediate/Intermediate:

209111 D Sundays, February 25 to May 6 4:00 - 5:00 pm **AGE:** 9 - 12.99 **FEE:** \$350

Advanced Juniors:

209111 E Sundays, February 25 to May 6 **AGE:** 14 - 17.99 **FEE:** \$350 5:00 - 6:00 pm Adult Beginner/Advanced Beginner:

209111 F Tuesdays, February 6 to April 24 (No class February 20, April 17)

9:30 - 10:30 am AGE: 18 and up **FEE:** \$350

Adult Low Intermediate/Intermediate:

Tuesdays, February 6 to April 24 209111 G (No class February 20, April 17)

10:30 am - 12:00 pm **AGE:** 18 and up **FEE:** \$485 Low Intermediate/Intermediate:

209111 H Tuesdays, February 6 to April 24 (No class February 20, April 17)

4:00 - 5:30 pm AGE: 7 - 10.99 **FEE:** \$485

Beginner Juniors:

2091111 Tuesdays, February 6 to April 24 (No class February 20, April 17)

5:30 - 6:30 pm **AGE:** 9 - 12.99 **FEE:** \$350

Low Intermediate/Intermediate:

209111 J Tuesdays, February 6 to April 24 (No class February 20, April 17)

6:30 - 7:30 pm **AGE:** 9 - 12.99 **FEE:** \$350

Adult Low Intermediate/Intermediate:

209111 K Wednesdays, February 7 to April 11 (No class April 18)

9:30 - 11:00 am AGE: 18 and up **FEE:** \$485

Adult Beginner/Advanced Beginner:

209111 L Wednesdays, February 7 to April 11 (No class April 18)

11:00 am - 12:00 pm **AGE:** 18 and up **FEE:** \$350

Advanced Beginner Juniors:

209111 M Wednesdays, February 7 to April 11 4:00 - 5:00 pm **AGE:** 11 - 14.99 **FEE:** \$350 **Tiny Tots:**

209111 N Wednesdays, February 7 to April 11 **AGE:** 4 - 5.99 **FEE:** \$185 5:00 - 5:30 pm **Beginner Juniors:**

209111 O Wednesdays, February 7 to April 11 5:30 - 6:30 pm **AGE:** 6 - 8.99 **FEE:** \$290

10 Week Sessions are offered day, evening & weekdays!

Program Descriptions

Tiny Tots (ages 4-5): A program that has proven to be effective in developing motor coordination, the fundamentals of tennis and the love of the game for children. Beginner: Player is introduced to the forehand, backhand, serve and volley with drills, fun games and game situations. Advanced Beginner: Player has had introduction to grips and strokes, starts to make contact with ball on a regular basis. Low Intermediate: Player is starting to keep the ball in play, learning to serve, can volley and learning court positioning.

Intermediate: Player can keep the ball in play, can hit with some spin, can serve, volley and rally consistently. Advanced Junior: Player continues to progress by refining strokes, concentrating on footwork, court strategy, and ball placement.

Make Up Dates (Sun 5/13) (Tue 5/1) (Wed 4/25) (Thur 4/26) (Fri 5/11) (Sat 5/12)

Junior Low Intermediate/Intermediate:

209111 P Wednesdays, February 7 to April 11

6:30 - 7:30 pm **AGE:** 11 - 14.99 **FEE:** \$350

Advanced Beginner Juniors:

209111 Q Wednesdays, February 7 to April 11

7:30 - 9:00 pm **AGE:** 8 - 11.99 **FEE:** \$485

Beginner/Advanced Beginner Juniors:

209111 T Fridays, February 16 to May 4 (No class March 30, April 20)

4:00 - 5:00 pm **AGE:** 5 - 7.99 **FEE:** \$290

Advanced Beginner Juniors:

209111 U Fridays, February 16 to May 4 (No class March 30, April 20)

5:00 - 6:00 pm **AGE:** 7 - 10.99 **FEE:** \$350

Adult Low Intermediate/Intermediate:

209111 V Saturdays, February 24 to May 5

(No class April 21)

AGE: 18 and up 9:00 - 10:30 am **FEE:** \$485

Advanced Beginner Juniors:

209111 W Saturdays, February 24 to May 5 (No class April 21)

10:30 - 11:30 am **FEE:** \$290 **AGE:** 6 - 8.99 **Advanced Juniors:**

209111 X Saturdays, February 24 to May 5 (No class April 21)

11:30 am - 1:00 pm **AGE:** 14 - 17.99 **FEE:** \$485

Low Intermediate/Intermediate Juniors:

209111 Y **AGE:** 9 - 12.99 **FEE:** \$485 1:00 - 2:30 pm Saturdays, February 24 to May 5 (No class April 21)

Golf | Flag Football



Flag Football

It's fast paced, fun and total football action! Come and be a part of our Flag Football League! Participants will learn about football by playing games. No experience necessary! Each participant should bring a water bottle and plenty of enthusiasm. You're going to love it! Drop your children off and go enjoy dinner while they work hard and love flag football!

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$150

209606 A Fridays, January 5 to February 9

6:30 - 8:45 pm **AGE:** 6 - 14.99

209606 B Fridays, February 23 to March 30

6:30 - 8:45 pm **AGE**: 6 - 14.99

LOCATION: Newtown Youth Academy, 4 Primrose Street

INSTRUCTOR: Jeffrey Tolson

Junior Golf Lessons

Come to Golf Quest to help improve your driving, irons and putting with a professional. You will receive three lessons from a Golf Quest golf pro, with each lesson concentrating on a different aspect of the game.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$145

209603 A Wednesdays, January 3 to January 24

4:30 - 5:30 pm **AGE**: 6 - 17.99

209603 B Thursdays, February 1 to February 22

4:30 - 5:30 pm **AGE:** 6 - 17.99

209603 C Wednesdays, March 7 to March 28

4:30 - 5:30 pm **AGE**: 6 - 17.99

LOCATION: Golf Quest, 1 Sand Cut Road

INSTRUCTOR: Golf Quest



Women's Golf Lessons

Come to Golf Quest to help improve your driving, irons and putting with a professional.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$145

209402 A Thursdays, March 8 to March 29
6:00 - 7:00 pm AGE: 18 and up

209402 B Wednesdays, February 7 to February 28
6:00 - 7:00 pm AGE: 18 and up

209402 C Thursdays, March 8 to March 29
6:00 - 7:00 pm AGE: 18 and up

AGE: 18 and up

LOCATION: Golf Quest, 1 Sand Cut Road

INSTRUCTOR: Golf Quest

Adult Novice Golf Lessons

Each lesson concentrates on different aspects of the game. Work on your swing, improve your driving and putting with a Golf Quest professional. Class size is limited for more individualized attention.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$145

209403 A Wednesdays, January 3 to January 24
6:00 - 7:00 pm AGE: 18 and up

209403 B Thursdays, February 1 to February 22
6:00 - 7:00 pm AGE: 18 and up

209403 C Wednesdays, March 7 to March 28
6:00 - 7:00 pm AGE: 18 and up

AGE: 18 and up

LOCATION: Golf Quest, 1 Sand Cut Road

INSTRUCTOR: Golf Quest

Pickleball - Drop in & Play

Pickleball is a sport described as a "combination of pingpong, tennis and badminton," played in schools, parks and recreation centers, camps and retirement communities. Pickleball is FUN! It is also a great workout, and a very social and competitive athletic game. With a few easy instructions, you'll be able to play! The sport is easy to learn, and we invite you to learn about the game and play! 2 Courts will be setup. Limited equipment available, so please bring your own if you have it! E-mail Jan Brown at: jannie1225@msn.com with any questions.

ACTIVITY: Drop in, it's free!

LOCATION: Sandy Hook School, 12 Dickinson Drive

Adult Drop in Basketball

Open to Newtown residents only! Proof of residency may be required. *If the schools are closed due to inclement weather, or a scheduled Holiday, then there is no Drop in Basketball.

ACTIVITY:

109204 A Fridays, Now to June 22 (No Drop In November 24, December 29, March 30, April 20)

7:30 - 9:00 pm AGE: 18 and up FREE LOCATION: Sandy Hook School, 12 Dickinson Drive

109204 B Mondays, Now to August 27 (No Drop In December 25, February 19, April 16, May 28)

8:30 - 10:30 pm AGE: 18 and up FEE: \$200 LOCATION: Newtown Youth Academy, 4 Primrose Street

Men's Over 40 Drop in Basketball

Open to Newtown residents only! Proof of residency may be required.

ACTIVITY:

109203 A Saturdays, September 2 to June 23 (No Drop In November 25, December 30, April 21) 7:00 - 9:00 am AGE: 40 and up FREE

LOCATION: Newtown Middle School, 11 Queen Street

Drop In Programs

Adult Volleyball Drop in

Mondays are for the fun volleyball players! Volleyball nets will be set up, but please bring your own equipment.

(No Volleyball December 25, January 1, January 15,
February 19)

ACTIVITY:

109202 A Mondays, Now to April 9

7:30 - 9:30 pm **AGE**: 18 and up **FREE**

LOCATION: Sandy Hook School, 12 Dickinson Drive





Over 30 - Co-ed Soccer

Come out and kick it around! What a great way to get some exercise. This is a laid back game, not a league. All skills levels are welcomed. For more information contact Alex Ortner (203) 304-1935 or alexortner@gmail.com

ACTIVITY:

 209205 A
 Saturdays, January 6 to June 23

 7:00 - 8:30 am
 AGE: 30 and up
 FEE: \$165

 209205 B
 Tuesdays, January 2 to June 26

 9:00 - 10:30 pm
 AGE: 30 and up
 FEE: \$170

LOCATION: Newtown Youth Academy, 4 Primrose Street Sponsored by Nretown Parks and Recreation

LOCATION:

Teen Center, 53 A Church Hill Road INSTRUCTOR:

Canine Training and Behavior Services, LLC

Dog Obedience Level 1

This class is designed for dogs 4 months of age and older with no formal training. All elements of basic canine training will be covered including sit, down, stand, stay, recall and heel. Common household problems, jumping, chewing, and good manners will be addressed. Once you have reached the final screen of registration please print the form under "View Additional Attachment: ctbs.pdf." & bring to the 1st class

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$180

200015 A Thursdays, January 4 to February 8

6:30 - 7:15 pm AGE: 14 and up

Dog Obedience Level 2

This class is for the graduate of the S.T.A.R. Puppy or level I class. Consistency and reliability will be significantly improved through distraction training and attention training. Emphasis is on off-leash work, hand signals and progression toward advanced obedience, Canine Good Citizen, or therapy dog certification.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$130

200017 A Thursdays, January 4 to February 8

7:30 - 8:15 pm AGE: 14 and up

A.K.C. S.T.A.R. Puppy Program

S.T.A.R. stands for "Socialization," "Training," "Activity," and a "responsible" owner - all things a puppy needs to have a good life. Life skills will be taught to new pups, including basic commands. Proper socialization, interactions, and responsible dog ownership will also be addressed. This class is open to all pups up to one year of age.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$180

200016 A Thursdays, January 4 to February 8

6:30 - 7:15 pm AGE: 14 and up

Canine Good Citizen Program

This course prepares students for the CGC tests/titles and testing by various therapy dog groups. Therapy certification is required by most health-care facilities and schools for visiting dogs and handlers. Open to all dogs that have completed Household Obedience Level 1. CGC Stresses good manners in the presence of people and other dogs. Testing for the CGC is included in the fee. NOTE: Therapy dog groups will not certify dogs less than one year of age.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$175

200014 A Thursdays, January 4 to February 8

7:30 - 8:15 pm **AGE:** 14 and up

Dog Training | Obedience



Canine Training and Behavior Services, LLC

Dog Agility Training

In this class, dogs and handlers will become familiar with the various obstacles in an agility course, including the tunnel, dog walk, weave poles, tires, A-frame and jumps. Completion of Household Obedience Level 1 (or comparable class) is required. Dogs MUST be able to sit, down, stay and come on command.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$120

200011 A Thursdays, January 4 to February 8

7:30 - 8:15 pm AGE: 14 and up



Advanced Obedience/Rally "O"

Rally and advanced obedience offer dogs and their handlers an experience that is fun and energizing. The class focuses on Rally signs, Rally exercises, and the attention skills that dogs need for performance events. This class includes offleash heeling, drop on recall. hand signals and obstacle training. Successful completion of Household Obedience Level 2 is required.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$120

200013 A Thursdays, January 4 to February 8

5:45 - 6:30 pm **AGE**: 14 and up

Advanced Canine Good Citizen Program

The Advanced Canine Good Citizen (CGCA) title is part of the AKC's Community Canine Program, and is designed to evaluate a dog's real world skills in a natural, community setting. Dogs MUST have an AKC number and proof of the Canine Good Citizen (CGC) award/title on record at AKC. Details can be found at www.akc.org. Testing for the CGCA is included in the fee.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$140

200012 A Thursdays, January 4 to February 8

5:45 - 6:30 pm AGE: 14 and up

Horseback Riding

Intro to HuntSeat Horseback Riding

Horseback Riding lessons for the beginner, looking to experience riding in a quiet setting, on safe, reliable lesson horses and ponies.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$225

209102 A Saturdays, January 6 to January 27

9:30 - 10:00 am **AGE:** 5 - 18.99

209102 B Saturdays, February 3 to February 24

9:30 - 10:00 am **AGE:** 5 - 18.99

209102 C Saturdays, March 3 to March 24

9:30 - 10:00 am **AGE:** 5 - 18.99

LOCATION:

Fox Ridge Farm, 37-39 Aunt Park Lane (Newtown) **INSTRUCTOR:** Fox Ridge Farm



English Horseback Riding Lessons

Students will be taught basic riding skills on the horse saddle for 45 minutes. The last 15 minutes will be dedicated to grooming the horse they rode. The Equestrian Ridge has 30 years of experience, and will work with accommodating you at another time, if the 1pm-2pm time does not work for you! Please call (203) 426-8212 for more information or to set up a different lesson riding time.

ACTIVITY: FEE: \$425

209105 A Sundays, January 7 to January 28

1:00 - 2:00 pm **AGE:** 4 and up

209105 B Sundays, February 4 to February 25

1:00 - 2:00 pm **AGE:** 4 and up

LOCATION:

The Ridge Equestrrian Center, 17 Papoose Hill Road INSTRUCTOR:

The Ridge Equestrian, Anna Maher



Brushy Hill Horseback Riding

You pick the date and time! Brushy Hill Farm is a full service equestrian facility that takes pride in its warm and welcoming environment. We are dedicated to providing outstanding care for both horse and rider. In addition to boarding and training, our lesson program caters to students of all ages from beginners to seasoned veterans. Ev offers her lifetime of experience and extensive knowledge of the sport. Our lessons are hand tailored for each rider's needs to ensure that everyone may achieve their goals and full potential. Our closely supervised instruction in a safe and nurturing atmosphere will provide students with solid foundations, the necessary skills to communicate properly with their horse and become good horseman. During each lesson, students will learn and practice basic horse care, grooming, tacking up and correct terminology. In case of inclement weather, lessons will be held in an indoor ring. For more information please contact Ev at 203-470-4353.

ACTIVITY:

(4) 30 Min Sessions

209101 A Mondays - Sundays, December 16 to March 31 9:00 am - 6:00 pm **AGE**: 4 and up **FEE**: \$240

(4) 60 Min Sessions

209101 B Mondays - Sundays, December 16 to March 31

9:00 am - 6:00 pm

(8) 30 Min Sessions 209101 C Mondays - Sundays, December 16 to March 31

9:00 am - 6:00 pm

FEE: \$460

FEE: \$460

AGE: 4 and up

AGE: 4 and up

LOCATION: Brushy Hill Farm, 15 Coachman Drive **INSTRUCTOR:** Brushy Hill Farm, Ev Lindeborn



Treadwell Pool | Eichler's Cove Beach

Hours & Membership Information

Treadwell Pool & Eichler's Cove Beach Membership:

MEMBERSHIP: Combination Pass that permits entry to Treadwell Town Park Pool and Eichler's Cove Beach Money will NOT be collected at the pool/beach gate.

Season:

May 26th - September 3rd, 2018 Passes available starting January 1st, 2018

RESIDENCY DEFINED:

A person whose primary residence, either as an owner or a renter, is in Newtown, is considered a Newtown resident. (No exception to this rule.) Proof of residency may be required.

Please note as season nears Labor Day times may change.

May 26th - June 17th:

12:00 pm - 8:00 pm Monday & Wednesday 12:00 pm - 7:00 pm Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 10:00 am - 7:00 pm Saturday & Sunday

June 18th - August 20th:

11:00 am - 8:00 pm Monday & Wednesday 11:00 am - 7:00 pm Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 10:00 am - 7:00 pm Saturday & Sunday

August 21st - September 2nd:

2:30 pm - 8:00 pm Monday & Wednesday 2:30 pm - 7:00 pm Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

10:00 am - 7:00 pm Saturday & Sunday

September 3rd (Labor Day):

1:00 pm - 7:00 pm Monday

Resident Memberships

(Limit 4 Per Family for Family Passes)

ACTIVITY:

FDT	Family (LIMIT 4)	\$200.00
	Addtn'l Fam. Member	\$25.00
IDT	Individual	\$75.00
DAY	Day Pass	\$15.00
DUSE	Daily Pass	\$50.00
	(6 visit pass)	
SSENIOR	Senior Pass	Free

Senior Citizens (60 & over): Just bring in proof of residency and your car registration; we will issue you a pass and a parking permit.



Non-Resident Memberships:

(Limit 4 Per Family for Family Passes)

ACTIVITY:

FNON	Family (LIMIT 4)	\$400.00
	Addtn'l Fam. Member	\$50.00
INON	Individual	\$150.00
DAYN	Day Pass	\$30.00
DUSENR	Daily Pass	\$100.00
	(6 visits)	
	Senior	\$30.00



LOST PASSES:

\$15.00 per card Residents \$25.00 per card Non-Residents

DAILY PASSES/DAY PASSES:

PLEASE BE SURE TO PRINT A RECEIPT Unused Daily Passes do not expire

The daily pass includes six (6) individual visits. (One visit per person) and may be purchased online prior to visiting the facility. Bring your receipt to Treadwell Pool/Eichler's Cove Beach and the gate attendant will stamp number of visits used.

If purchased online, we will mail your pool/beach passes within five (5) business days. Make sure your household information is up to date. Membership cards must be shown to gain admittance to Treadwell Pool and Eichler's Cove Beach. Multiple families living in one household must pay per family. Proof of household address is required for all members 18 years and older. Family Pool Pass Receipts WILL NOT be accepted at the gate after (5) business dates from date of purchase.

Treadwell or Dickinson Park Pavilion Rental:

Newtown Residents

\$50.00 deposit and \$200.00 rental fee

Non-Residents

\$50.00 deposit and \$375.00 rental fee

Newtown Non-profit Organizations

\$50.00 deposit and \$250.00 rental fee

Businesses

\$50.00 deposit and \$450.00 rental fee

Treadwell Pool Use With Rental Fee:

Anyone renting Treadwell Pavilion has the option to use the pool. Passes must be purchased before event. *Fees paid* for the pool passes are non-refundable

Resident: \$8.00 per person **Non-Resident:** \$13.00 per person

Fairfield Hills Pavilion:

Newtown Residents

\$50.00 deposit and \$75.00 rental fee

Non-Residents

\$50.00 deposit and \$150.00 rental fee

Businesses

\$50.00 deposit and \$250.00 rental fee

(6 Hour limit for Pavilion rentals)

Bandshell at Dickinson Park:

Newtown Residents

\$50.00 deposit and \$175.00 rental fee

After 4 Hours \$45 Per Hour

Non-Residents

\$50.00 deposit and \$350.00 rental fee

After 4 Huors \$90 Per Hour

Businesses

\$50.00 deposit and \$425.00 rental fee

After 4 Hours \$110 Per Hour

Eichler's Cove Picnic Area/Beach:

Limited availability- Call Parks and Recreation.

Newtown Residents

\$50.00 deposit and \$125.00 rental fee - Picnic area only \$50.00 deposit and \$200.00 rental fee - Picnic area & beach Plus lifeguard fees (listed below)

Non-Residents

\$50.00 deposit and \$250.00 rental fee - Picnic area only \$50.00 deposit and \$400.00 rental fee - Picnic area & beach Plus lifeguard fees (listed below)

Lifeguard Fees:

Plus \$12/hr. per lifeguard

- up to 29 people will need 2 lifeguards
- 30 or more people will need 1 additional lifeguard per 10 guests

Pavilion & Eichler's Cove Beach Rentals

No Holiday Rentals
Applications are accepted starting
January 1st for the Spring/Summer 2018
season.

Full rental fee and deposit are due at the time of reservation for all rentals.

Accident Insurance for all Rentals: Accident

insurance is required. Homeowners Insurance will <u>NOT</u> be accepted. Accident Insurance is available through the Parks & Recreation office. Accident Insurance is not refundable and cannot be transferred to a new date.

Insurance Rates:

\$1.10 per person with out alcohol \$1.65 per person with alcohol

(include children in your headcount)

(Insurance rates are subject to change without notice)

Applications can be accessed online:

*Applications are online under "Pavilion Reservations, please bring the completed form and payment(s) to Newtown Parks and Recreation. Forms are also available at our office.



Cancellation Policy:

Two weeks' notice prior to your rental date must be given for pavilion rental cancellations. Reservations cancelled after the two week period will result in the loss of your \$50.00 deposit. \$10 Refund Fee. No refunds on insurance paid.

NOTE: There are NO exemptions from the fees listed.

Marina Season:

May 12th - October 14th

Marina Slip Rentals



Boat slip rentals through March 3rd are open to returning slip holders from the prior season. March 4th - March 30th open to Newtown residents and

returning slip holders on a first-come, first-serve basis. Beginning April 2nd slip rentals will be open to residents and non-residents on a first-come, first-serve basis. Boat slip renters will receive four beach passes per family.

Early Bird Special Rate (for returnees only):

Deadline for Early Bird: March 3, 2018

Newtown residents Fee + CT State Use Tax

19 ft and under

\$1,076.00 + \$68.33 = \$1,144.33

Over 19 ft

\$1,339.00 + \$85.03 = \$1,424.03

Non-residents

19 ft and under

\$1,348.00 + \$85.60 = \$1,433.60

over 19 ft

\$1,623.00 + \$103.06 = \$1,726.06

Marina Slip Rental Fee

as of March 4th, 2018:

Newtown residents Fee + CT State Use Tax

19 ft and under

\$1,100.00 + \$69.85 = \$1,169.85

Over 19 ft

\$1,350.00 + \$85.73 = \$1,435.73

Non-residents

19 ft and under

\$1,400.00 + \$88.90 = \$1,488.90

Over 19 ft

\$1,650.00 + \$104.78 = \$1,754.78

Marina Jet Ski Slips:

 Fees:
 Fee + CT State Use Tax

 Residents
 \$700.00 + \$44.45 = \$744.45

 Non-residents:
 \$900.00 + \$57.15 = \$957.15



Eichler's Cove Marina Information

Boat Launch Key:

Eichler's Cove & Lake Lillinonah

When registering, please update your household information. We will mail launch gate key and park permit to you within five (5) business days. A park permit must be displayed on the lower right windshied on any car entering launch facility. A daily pass is not available for Lake Lillinonah boat launch. No Holiday Rentals.

Season Key: (May 12 - October 1/1)

Lake Lillinonah & Eichler's Cove:

Residents LLB \$125.00 Non-residents NLLB \$250.00

(Return your previous year key and receive a \$10 credit towards your new key)

Daily Boat Launch Pass for Eichler's Cove Only:

Residents ECB \$15.00

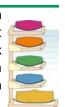
Non-residents NECB \$30.00

NO money will be accepted at the launch
You must also have a resident/non-resident park

You must also have a resident/non-resident park permit to enter Eichler's Cove Beach/Marina.

Canoe/Kayak Drystorage Rack:

The Newtown Parks and Recreation Department is offering a location at Eichler's Cove to store your canoe or kayak for the summer season. Applications for a dry storage area are available online or in the office.



<u>Drystorage:</u> Fee + CT State Use Tax

Resident \$75.00 + \$4.76 = \$79.76 **Non-resident** \$150.00 + \$9.53 = \$159.53

Must also have a resident/non-resident/resident park permit to enter Eichler's Cove.

Non Resident Permit:

Season Permit:

May 26th - September 3rd (Memorial Day - Labor Day)

Permit:

\$150.00 Season Permit \$20.00 Daily Parking Pass



^{*}Please note the parking permit *does not* give you access to launch, beach or pool. Memberships for the pool are available separately.

Summer 2018 Day Camp

Join us for the Best Summer Ever!

Job Positions:

Camp Counselors | Directors | CIT

Site Director - Day Camp -Must be 25+ years of age

Assistant Site Director - Day Camp -

Must be 21+ years of age

Day Camp Counselor -

Must be 16 years of age by December 31, 2016 or completed 9th grade (NO Exceptions).

Teen Adventure Camp Counselor -

Must be 20+years of age

Counselor-in-Training (Volunteer) -

Must be 15 years old by June 23rd or completed 9th grade.

Waterfront Staff

Waterfront Director - Must be 25+ years of age Assistant Waterfront Director - Must be 21+ years of age

Lifeguards - Must have current American Red Cross Lifequard/Waterfront Training Certification as well as current CPR certification.

Water Safety Instructors and Aide's - Must have current American Red Cross Certification.

*Looking for adult lifeguards, specifically from

August to Labor Day

Wardens | Attendants | Rangers

Park Rangers - Must be 18 years old and hold a valid CT driver's license.

Gate Attendants - Treadwell Park -

Must be 15+ years of age

Park Warden - Eichlers Cove Beach -

Must be 25+years of age

Gate Attendants - Lake Lillinonah -

Must be 21+ years of age

Submit Your Application:

December 11th 2017 through March 8th 2018.



Limited job positions are available

Enjoy the outdoors, while making a difference, and secure a rewarding position with Newtown Parks & Recreation this summer! Applications for certified positions must have copies of all certifications attached; otherwise, they will not be accepted. Limited job positions are available.



Camp Dates:

Ages for Day Camp: 4 to 12 Years Dickinson Day Camp -

\$150 per week Full 7 Weeks: \$915 Residents

Non Residents: \$200 per week Full 7 Weeks: \$1,225 Non Residents

4th of July Week: \$120R / \$160 NR

Treadwell Day Camp-

\$165 per week **Residents:** Full 7 Weeks: \$1,000 Residents Non Residents: \$220 per week Full 7 Weeks: \$1,350 Non Residents \$132 R / \$176 NR 4th of July Week:

Day Camp Schedule:

Residents:

Week 1 June 25 to June 29

Week 2 July 2 to July 6 (No July 4th)

Week 3 July 9 to July 13 Week 4 July 16 to July 20 Week 5 July 23 to July 27 Week 6 July 30 to August 3 Week 7 August 6 to August 10

Teen Adventure Camp -Ages 12 to 16 years

Week 1 June 25 to June 29

Week 2 July 2 to July 6 (No July 4th)

July 9 to July 13 Week 3 Week 4 July 16 to July 20 Week 5 July 23 to July 27

Take Over The Garage:

Pool, Foosball, Air Hockey, iPod Jukebox or Book your next Event!





The Rules

Simple. No Drugs or Alcohol allowed on the premises. This is a safe environment for youths to come together and have fun! Please treat this space as you would treat your own!

That's all we ask.

Rent the Garage

Newtown Residents

\$200.00 rental fee & \$100.00 refundable deposit Newtown Residents \$400.00 rental fee &

\$100.00 refundable deposit

Insurance

\$1.10 per person (no alcohol allowed)
(insurance rates are subject to change without notice)
Have your Birthday Party, a Fundraiser, or your
youth group meeting at the Garage!
Party must be scheduled two weeks in advance.
Access to pool tables, foosball table, air hockey table,
and video games.

Available Friday or Saturday nights, from 7:00pm-11:00pm

For daytime inquiries, please call the office NO HOLIDAYS! There is a maximum 4 hour rental, including set up and take down time.

High School Nights (Grades 9 -12)

Hours 7:00 -11:00 pm Every Friday and Saturday Night, unless designated for Middle School or 5/6

Students. Middle School Nights (Grades 7 - 8)

Hours 7:00 - 10:00 pm Every Second Friday of the Month enjoy playing foosball, pool, listen to music on the iPod Jukebox, or come hang out!

Reed Night

Hours 7:00 - 9:30 pm Every Third Friday of the Month



Book Your Band!

Have your own band? If you are a performer (solo, in a band, aspiring stand-up comic, actor/director, magician etc.) and would like to perform at The Garage,

Please e-mail:
RoseAnn.Reggiano@newtown-ct.gov
or call our office
(203) 270-4340.

Available Friday or Saturday nights, from 7:00pm-11:00pm for youths of all ages.

are a performer Looking to complete your hours?

Looking to complete your hours? Plan a one-time event, take on a project, hold a fundraiser, get your girl scout award or help us revamp! Give us a call, or stop by the Career Center at the High School

Give us Event Suggestions!

We would like to offer more! Please let us know the type of events you, your friends and peers would like to attend so we can make it happen! Call us with your ideas!



Contact Us:

Email:RoseAnn.Reggiano@newtown-ct.gov or call our office (203) 270-4340 3 Main Street, Newtown, CT

Eichler's Cove Marina and Beach -

Old Bridge Road, Newtown

Located at 11 Old Bridge Road in the southeastern corner of Newtown. Offering a marina, boat launch, beach, picnic area, kayak racks and spectacular view. Eichler's Cove is the only public access to Lake Zoar.

Lake Lillinonah Park/Boat Launch - Hanover Road, Newtown

Offering a total scenic package, this park is located at the end of Hanover Road in Newtown, on Lake Lillinonah. In addition to a beautiful view of the lake, there are picnic tables, charcoal grills and the boat launch. There are portable bathroom facilities and parking. NO SWIMMING is allowed at this park, as boats pose too much danger.

Orchard Hill Nature Center - Huntingtown Road, Newtown

Combining unusual historic and natural assets, this park is located on Huntingtown Road. Its historical assets include two mills and dams, which date back to the 19th century. Its natural assets include rare beauty, and a remarkable diversity of habitats which provide a home to an unusually large number of species of plants and animals. There are several trails on which to hike, with ample parking.

Treadwell Memorial Park - Philo Curtis Road, Sandy Hook

Amenities include four tennis courts, a pickleball court, basketball court, two playground areas, two pavilions, multi-purpose baseball/softball field, a regulation size artificial turf soccer field and a multi-purpose artificial turf field. Treadwell Park also boasts a swimming pool complex, featuring an eight lane, 25 yard pool, with a diving "L" and a wading pool. Locker facilities are available.

Dickinson Memorial Park - Elm Drive and Brushy Hill Road, Newtown

Dickinson Park has five tennis courts, softball field, basketball court, two playground areas, FUNSPACE creative area, a skate park, a pavilion and picnicking facilities, complete with charcoal grills.

Newtown Park and Bark - 21 Old Farm Road, Newtown

Off Leash Dog Park - A tired dog is a good dog! Park & Bark is a little over an acre with a Splash Pad, Agility Course, small dog area and plenty of room for your canine buddy to run, play and socialize. All dogs must be licensed.



Newtown Park & Permit Information

Victory Garden-

Fairfield Hills Campus, Washington Square

The food pantries provide food to over 2000 residents of Newtown. The pantries are exclusively for the use of Newtown residents. The Victory Garden is supported by the Town of Newtown and the Newtown



Parks and Recreation Department. Please visit the Victory Garden website www.foodpantrygarden.org for more information and visit the Victory Garden Supporting Newtown's Food Pantries on Facebook.

Tennis & Pickleball Courts at Treadwell & Tennis Courts at Dickinson Park

<u>Treadwell Park</u> - Nets will be installed by April 15th (weather permitting)

<u>Dickinson Park</u> - Nets will be installed by April 15th (weather permitting).

<u>ALL</u> tennis nets will be removed November 11th. (weather permitting)

<u>ALL</u> court time is on a first come first served basis <u>NO</u> private tennis lessons allowed. Lessons by Parks and Recreation personel only

RESIDENT PARK PERMIT:

There is no charge for a resident permit

This park permit allows Newtown residents admittance to all Newtown Parks; i.e. Dickinson Park, Lake Lillinonah and Eichler's Cove. To obtain a resident permit stop by our office. If you have not had a resident permit before or are new to town, please bring two (2) proofs of residency; i.e. cable, utility or phone bill along with your vehicle registration and driver's license to the office. There are additional fees associated if you would like to use the beach/launch.

NON-RESIDENT PARK PERMIT:

This park permit allows non-residents admittance to all Newtown Parks. To obtain a non-resident permit stop by our office. Fee \$150.00 for season from Memorial Day to Labor Day or \$20.00 a day for a parking pass. If non-resident wants to use boat launch or Eichler's Cove Beach, then they will need to purchase separate boat launch and/or beach passes.

- -All parks are open from 8:00 am to sundown
- -All cars must display a park permit in order to enter the parks
- -Please see Pavilion Rental Information for more information on Pavilion Rentals

For up to date changes in any program regarding weather sign up for *up-to-date* information at www.newtown-ct.gov.

Refund Policy

All programs are self-supporting and a commitment needs to be made to instructors and staff. Therefore, NO REFUNDS will be given after the start of a program EXCEPT for medical reasons, upon receipt of a physician's note. A physcians's note should be given to Parks and Recreation at the time of the incident; they will not be accepted after the program is completed. Communication to Parks and Recreation at onset of the condition is required. Refunds for cancelations made within **one week prior** to the start of a program are issued, but a \$10 processing fee will be charged. No refunds will be given once a program is complete. (NO EXCEPTIONS).

Please Note:

- ♦ All Parks and Recreation programs are on a first-come, first-served basis.
- ♦ Parks and Recreation does not send confirmations. No news is good news! Please assume you are registered for the program(s) you have selected. You will be contacted only if there is a problem.
- ◆ Parks and Recreation cannot be responsible for loss of mail or postal delays; please register online.
- ♦ Program participants are reminded NOT TO PARK IN FIRE LANES, per order of the Fire Marshall. Fire lanes are those areas in front of each school which are painted yellow.
- ♦ When participating in a program at the Teen Center please park in front of the Teen Center ONLY. Do not park in front of businesses.
- ♦ Program participants must enter and exit buildings through designated, secure locations.
- ♦ Sign up to receive our recreation brochure and recreation cancelations at www.newtown-ct.gov, by subscribing to E-Alerts.. Follow instructions on the web page, or call 203-270-4340.
- ♦ The Newtown Parks & Recreation Commission meets the second Tuesday of each month. Public input is welcomed at these meetings.
- ♦ If a participant displays unruly behavior, he / she will be asked to leave the program and NO refund will be given.

Do Not Wait Until Last Min.

Nothing spoils a good program quicker than everyone waiting until the last minute to register. If there are not enough registrations by a certain date, the program may be canceled. Please register early.

Cancelation Policy

Programs held at the Newtown Schools follow the school schedule. Therefore, if schools are closed or canceled then Parks & Recreation programs at the schools will be canceled. Programs held at the Newtown Teen Center, Newtown Youth Academy or an offsite location *do not always follow the school schedule*. In the event of inclement weather or other factors beyond our control, programs may need to be canceled. If program(s) are canceled; in most cases make up sessions will be offered. If you cannot attend the makeup session no refunds will be given. Please sign up for our Recreation E-Alerts on our website www.newtown-ct.gov.

Residency Defined

A person whose primary residence, either as an owner or renter, is considered a Newtown resident.

No exceptions to this rule. Proof of residency is required.

Non-Resident Policy

Non-resident registrations will be accepted at the beginning of registration, however there are limited spots. Not all programs allow for non-resident participation.

 Non-residents will be required to pay an additional \$15.00 per program.

Photo Release

Newtown Parks & Recreation Department and the Newtown Bee may video tape or take photos of participants enrolled in our programs. These photos/videos may be used for promotional purposes.

Inclusion Statement

In an effort to meet the recreational needs of all residents of Newtown, the Parks & Recreation Department has adopted a policy of inclusion. Although some facilities are not yet wheelchair accessible every attempt will be made to accommodate and encourage people with disabilities to participate in our programs. Please use comment section on the registration form detailing your circumstances.